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**PROPOSED CHANGES TO THE DRAWINGS**

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In response to Office Action mailed April 09, 2004, proposed changes to Figure 1 are hereby submitted. Figure 1 has been labeled as Prior Art.

Approval of the proposed changes is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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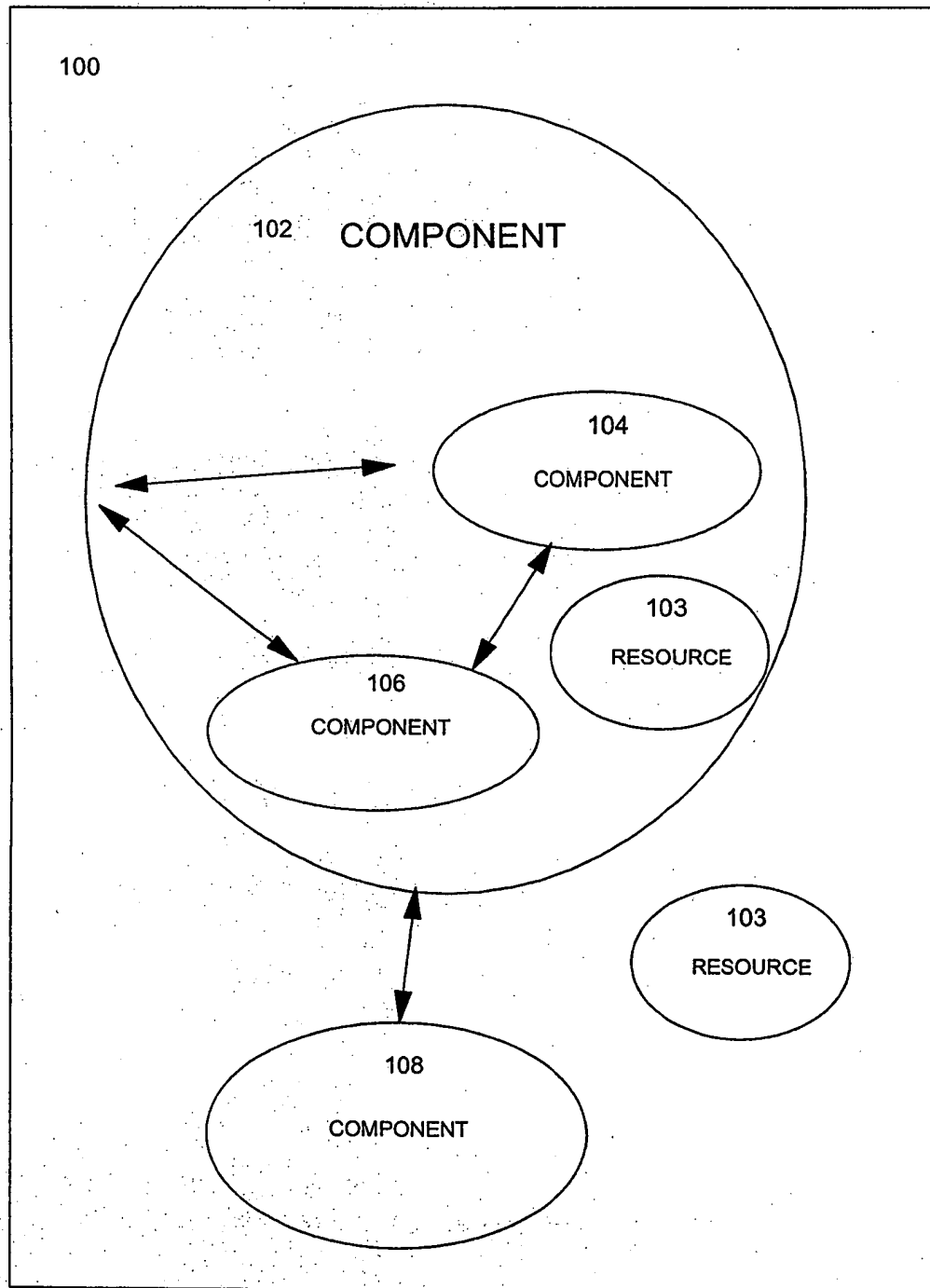
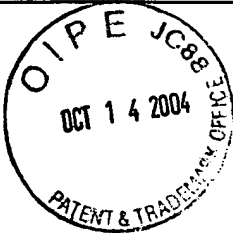


FIGURE 1

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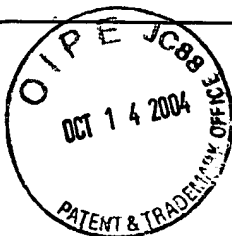
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